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1. A system for exhibiting remote data during related analysis comprising:

   (a) at least one remote input device for recording remote data;

   (b) a host computer for receiving and storing the remote data from the remote input device;

   (c) at least one local output device coupled to the host computer for providing a medium with a link to the remote data thereon; and

   (d) at least one local input device coupled to the host computer for using the link to exhibit the remote data during the course of analysis related to the remote data.

2. The system as set forth in claim 1, wherein the remote input device includes a video camera for recording video signal.

3. The system as set forth in claim 1, wherein the remote input device includes an image camera for recording image signals.

4. The system as set forth in claim 1, wherein the remote input device includes an audio recorder for recording audio signals.

5. The system as set forth in claim 1, wherein the remote input device includes a remote data recorder for recording data signals.

6. The system as set forth in claim 1, wherein the local input device includes a keyboard.

7. The system as set forth in claim 1, wherein the local input device includes a bar code scanner.

1   8.   The system as set forth in claim 1, wherein the local input device is further

2   adapted for inputting local data into the host computer.

1   9.   The system as set forth in claim 8, wherein the local input device includes an

2   electronic drawing board.

1   10.   The system as set forth in claim 1, wherein the local output device includes a

2   printer for printing purposes.

1   11.   The system as set forth in claim 1, wherein the local output device includes a

2   display.

1   12.   The system as set forth in claim 1, wherein the link includes an identifier

2   assigned to the remote data by way of the local input device.

1   13.   The system as set forth in claim 12, wherein the identifier includes an

2   identification code.

1   14.   The system as set forth in claim 13, wherein the identifier includes a

2   description.

1   15.   The system as set forth in claim 14, wherein the host computer outputs lists

2   of the identifiers on the medium by way of the local output device.

1   16.   The system as set forth in claim 15, wherein the host computer outputs the

2   remote data associated with one of the identifiers upon the selection of the

3   identifier by way of the local input device.

1   17.   The system as set forth in claim 12, wherein the host computer stores local

2   data entered by way of the local input device which includes a keyboard, the

3   local data being linked to the remote data.

1   18.   A method for exhibiting remote data during related analysis comprising the

2   steps of:

3   (a)   recording remote data with at least one remote input device;

4   (b)   receiving the remote data on a host computer from the remote input device;

5   (c)   storing the remote data on the host computer;

6   (d)   outputting a medium with a link to the remote data thereon; and

7   (e)   utilizing the link on the medium to exhibit the remote data during the course

8   of analysis related to the remote data.

1   19.   A computer program embodied on a computer-readable medium for

2   exhibiting remote data during related analysis comprising:

3   (a)   a code segment that receives remote data on a host computer from a remote

4   input device;

5   (b)   a code segment that stores the remote data on the host computer;

6   (c)   a code segment that outputs a medium with a link to the remote data thereon;

7   and

8   (d)   a code segment that utilizes the link on the medium to exhibit the remote

9   data during the course of analysis related to the remote data.